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effort to bring about conditions whereby the whole of creation may cease from groaning and travailing. From the conservative standpoint of those who, even in this age, believe in the uses of adversity and the function of pain, Justine Brent will be condemned.

For Mrs. Wharton it must be said that in the opinion of the reviewer she had no intention of making the nursing profession, or the medical either, a target for public comment. The situation was bound to provide a test to measure Amherst and Justine. Everything in the book is incidental to that.

THE PHYSICIAN'S VISITING LIST FOR 1907. P. Blakiston's Sons & Co., 1012 Walnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa. Price, $1.00.

THE Physician's Visiting List including diary, calendar, account book, etc., makes its annual appearance in the well known neat, compact and convenient form so long familiar to the profession. As usual it contains information on various subjects of interest to the practitioner, likely to be of use in times of emergency. The title page announces the present year to be the fifty-seventh year of publication for this useful little book.

FIVE HUNDRED SURGICAL SUGGESTIONS. *Practical Brevities in Surgical Diagnosis and Treatment.* By Walter M. Brickner, B.S., M.D., Chief of Surgical Department, Mount Sinai Hospital Dispensary, New York; Editor-in-Chief, American Journal of Surgery; and Eli Moschcowitz, A.B., M.D., Assistant Physician Mount Sinai Dispensary, New York; Associate Editor American Journal of Surgery. *Second Series.* Duodecimo; 125 pages. New York: Surgery Publishing Company, 92 William Street, 1907. Price, $1.00.

THE first series of this book, it will be remembered, was reviewed in these pages a year ago. The present volume includes the matter of the first series to which has been added an equal amount of new material thus making the book a second series rather than a second edition. To all who remember the first volume, the present work needs no better recommendation than the announcement that here is more of the same kind. Like its predecessor the present volume makes a very smart appearance in scarlet and gold binding making a pleasing diversion among the sombre tints usually adopted by scientific writers.